have yet been done and a great loss is sustained both by the raiyats and Government.

Reply of Government.—The Deputy Commissioner will attend to this matter under the new orders for the restoration of tanks.

SUBJECT No. 562.

Construction of a tank near Neralur.

Mr. Ranga Iyengar, Channapatna Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—If a large tank be constructed so as to be fed by the streamlet that runs in the neighbourhood of the village Neralur, a very large area yielding a good income will be brought under wet cultivation. Correspondence is said to be going on between the Public Works and Revenue Departments. Early disposal is requested.

Reply of Government.—Will be referred to the Public Works Department.

SUBJECT No. 563.

Construction of a tank at Dasavara.

Mr. Ranga Iyengar, Channapatna Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Serious loss has been sustained by raiyats for the last ten or twelve years owing to failure of corps consequent on the scarcity of water. The construction of a tank at Dasavara which has been under consideration for some time, will convert a vast area of dry lands into wet and go a great way in alleviating the sufferings of the poor, if done early. This is a repeated question.

Reply of Government.—Will be referred to the Public Works Department.

SUBJECT No. 564.

Baradanahalli Water Project.

Mr. Shanbhog Shamaiya, Kankanhalli Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—A project to put a dam across the small jungle stream near Baradanahalli was contemplated four or five years back. The execution of the same will not only bring a large extent of land under wet cultivation, but also make drinking water available in summer for the cattle.

Reply of Government.—Will be referred to the Chief Engineer for early investigation.

SUBJECT No. 565.

Bridge across Arkavati on the Bangalore-Sivasamudram road.

Mr. Shanbhog Shamaiya, Kankanhalli Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The Bangalore-Sivasamudram road, *via*, Kankanhalli, crosses the Arkavati river which is not fordable in the rainy season. A bridge across will help traffic very much.

Reply of Government.—Will be considered when funds permit.

SUBJECT No. 566.

Repairs to the Dattatreya Swami temple on Divyagiri Hills.

Mr. D. S. Hanumantha Rao, Devanhalli Taluk.

Mr. Guruva Reddi, Bangalore Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Requests that necessary repairs may be done to the Dattatreya Swami temple on Divyagiri Hills and daily worship introduced there instead of the weekly worship now performed.

Reply of Government.—Will be enquired into.